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1. - 7. (canceled)

8. (currently amended) A box level comprising:

- an elongate body having a first wall and a second wall extending between opposite ends, the walls forming opposed first and second face planes and defining vial openings, a pair of spaced hand-hold openings and a hang opening at each end;
- plumb vials secured in the vial openings;
- hand-holds secured in the hand-hold openings and hang liners secured in the hang openings, the hand-holds and hang liners having outer edges together defining first and second parallel application planes just beyond the first and second face planes, respectively, the hand-holds and hang liners each having an interior surface defining a first outer flange, a first inner flange, a second outer flange, and a second inner flange, the first outer and inner flanges forming a first channel for receiving the first wall, the second outer and inner flanges forming a second channel for receiving the second wall; thereby providing a pair of accurate application surfaces which accommodate work surfaces of varying dimension.

9. (previously presented) The box level of claim 8 wherein the hang liners and the hand-holds are of rubber-like material.

10. (previously presented) The box level of claim 8 wherein each of the hang liners is an integral piece extending from the first application plane to the second application plane, thereby firmly holding the hang liner in place such that it is not dislodged from engagement with the elongate body.

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